

ENJOYING SPRING VISIT HERE



MISS LUCY DAY MARTIN.
Young daughter of Senator and Mrs. Thomas S. Martin of Virginia.

A Birthday Party.

Mrs. Adam Ruth entertained Saturday in honor of her daughter Dorothy's fifth birthday anniversary. Music, games and dancing were enjoyed by her little friends. Prizes were won by Misses Elizabeth Beall, Elizabeth Townsend and Miriam Mosburg and Master Leonard Schaffert, and consolation prizes were awarded to Virginia Decker and Charles Crump. Those present were Misses Edith Robey, Pearl Jones, Miriam Mosburg, Elizabeth Townsend, Dorothy Beall, Ruth Dax, Elizabeth and Dorothy Beall, Ellen O'Neil, Jennie Crump, Virginia Decker, Mary and Ruth Wertman, Dorothy and Catherine Ruth, Mildred Bostrum and Grace Houghen and Masters Henry Wertman, Charles Crump and Leonard and Thomas Schaffert, and Mrs. William Mosburg, Mrs. M. Robey, Mrs. George Jones, Mrs. Buttner, Mrs. Decker, Mrs. I. Beall, Mrs. James O'Neil, Mrs. W. Wertman, Mrs. Henry Schaffert, Little Miss Dorothy received many pretty birthday remembrances.

Alexandria.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., May 2.—The members of the Alexandria German Club will be the honor guests at a dance given by young ladies who have been entertained by the club during the winter Tuesday mitter in charge by Miss Mary Lindsey Johnson. Mrs. Taylor Burke has returned from a visit to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Landon R. Mason, in Richmond. Mrs. Cassius F. Lee and Mr. Beaudrie Howell have returned from Leesburg where they attended the wedding of Miss Mabel Little and Mr. Walter J. Harrison. Miss Marion Lindsey has returned from a visit to Mrs. E. F. Crenshaw in Orange, Va. Mrs. J. Davis Bell and Miss Henrietta Chestwood of Lynchburg are the guests of Miss Mary Lindsey on Braddock Heights. Mrs. R. B. Craddock and her small son have returned from a visit to relatives in Easton, N. C. Miss Elizabeth Jackson has returned to her home in Alexandria, Va., after a visit to friends in town. Miss Pearl Sutton is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. James Anderson, in Richmond. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herfurth of New York are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Herfurth at the home of Mrs. L. B. Wells on Duke street in honor of Miss Dorothy Wells. A musical tea was given Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Katherine Lindsey on Braddock Heights. Those assisting were Mrs. Wallace Lindsey, Miss Mamie Lindsey, Miss Esther Green, Miss Ada Garrett, Mrs. Sherman Fowler, Mrs. George Wardfield, Mrs. Edgar Carpenter, Miss Katherine Waller, Miss Lola Ashton, Miss Hilda Schneider and Miss Margaret Field. Mrs. James McElone and small daughter of New York are the guests of Miss Ella Hill on South Lee street. Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Agnew have gone to their bungalow near Mount Vernon for the summer season. Mrs. James P. Hullah of Haysmarket is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hullah. Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Minton have returned from Philadelphia where they spent a week with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Abner F. Dodd of Emporia, Va., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Y. Dodd at Clouds Mill, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter T. Harrington and Miss Rebecca Harrington have returned to their home in Boston, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ramsay, on Cameron street. Master Daniel Stansbury has returned from a visit to his cousins, Masters Garnett and Marshall King, in Frederickburg. The Misses Maynard of Williamsport, Pa., are the guests of the Misses Tackett, on South St. Asaph street. The wedding of Miss Mary Estelle Padgett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Padgett, and Mr. Allison C. Hulings took place at noon Wednesday at the parsonage of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Lawrence F. Kelly. Dr. Marvin Herndon of Washington was best man, and Mrs. Herndon, the bride's sister, was matron of honor. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hulings left to spend their honeymoon at Atlantic City. After May 29 they will be at home at 216 North Alfred street. Mrs. James Davis Gibson and her children of Berkeley, Va., are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Thomas Leadbeater, on North Washington street. Mr. H. C. Phillips is the week-end guest of Mr. William Millam at Maplewood, near Richmond. Miss Kathryn Brill has returned from a visit to friends in Richmond. The members of the Junior German Club will give a masked ball Friday evening, May 1. The committee in charge is composed of Miss Collins McKay Jones, Miss Isabel Howell and Mr. Lawrence F. Lawless. Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Bannon Cooper entertained at a small dance Wednesday evening at their home on Braddock Heights. Those present were Miss Byrdie Pulliam of Culpeper, house guest of Mrs. Charles E. Berens, Berens of Philadelphia, Dr. and Mrs. Reginald Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howard, Miss Blossom Ried, Dr. Richard L. Cook, Messrs. George Ayton, John Higgins, Charles Stearns, Samuel Howard of Washington, Miss Nellie Uhler, Miss Mittle Herbert, Miss Hattie Douglas, Miss Eliza Douglas, Messrs. Garnett Chichester, Walter Foster, Garnett Pitts, Bryan Pitts,

A CHARMING GIRL IN THE NAVY SET



MISS DOROTHY TAYLOR,
Daughter of Capt. D. M. Taylor, U. S. N., and Mrs. Taylor.

James Douglas, Windsor Snowden and Edmund Hunter, Miss Lila Waller Barrett entertained at luncheon Thursday at her home on Duke street. The guests were Mrs. William Campbell of Charles Town, W. Va., house guest of Miss Barrett; Mrs. Jacob Edge of East

visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan, in Culpeper. Mrs. W. P. Gardner and Master John Thomas Gardner are the guests of relatives at Mountain View, Warren county. Mrs. Arthur Seiden Lloyd of New York and Rev. and Mrs. Churchill Jones Gibson of Luray are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Uhler, on North Washington street. Mrs. George S. Cable has returned to her home in Markham after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Turner Phillips, on South Washington street. Mrs. James Willis of Pittsburgh is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Dole at their home on Braddock Heights. Mrs. Milton French is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Howard in Fredericksburg. Mrs. Lucie Peyton Luckett has returned from a visit to Mr. John William Peyton at Rapidan. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Bryant have returned from a trip to Atlantic City. Mrs. Howard Platt and small daughter of Philadelphia were the guests this week of relatives in Rosemont. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goodwin, who have recently returned from Panama, were the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Leichter at the Fairfax before leaving for their home in Lynchburg. Mrs. Charles Wornen and Miss Grace Wornen of Baltimore are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leichter. Mrs. William N. Smith has returned from a visit to Mrs. Edward Derrick in Washington.

Brookland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop of Emmitsburg, Md.; Mrs. Charles Gillman and son Charles and Miss Ruth Faber of Gettysburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Weikert and Mr. and Mrs. E. Weikert of Waynesboro, Pa., who came on for the White-Shane wedding, and who have since been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sime, have returned to their homes. Mrs. John Williams of Philadelphia is still visiting her sister, Mrs. Shane. Mrs. Samuel Stoy of Philadelphia and Mrs. John Wilkinson of Atlantic City, N. J., who were also guests at the wedding and have since been visiting Mrs. Charles Gates, have gone home.

The Beau Not Club was entertained last evening by Mrs. John Wignall of New-ton street.

Mrs. Virginia Holtzman of Cumberland, Md., is the guest of her niece, Mrs. George B. Johnston.

Little Miss Audrey Sperle of 1709 Fort Drive, was given a pleasant birthday anniversary party Tuesday last, from 3 until 5 p.m. Apple blossoms and carnations were the floral decorations. Ring games were played upon the lawn and indoor games also enjoyed and dainty refreshments served with an elaborate birthday cake. Those taking part in the good time were the Misses Constance and Anna Allen, Thelma and Marjorie Michael, Marie Rockwood, Madeline Vaughn, Irene Wilson, Anabel Lithium, Mildred Symonds, Florence and Dorothy Bee, Rose Green, Masters George and Daniel Vaughn, Gerald Buschiet, Philip Mangin, Louis Men-

del, Carl Midkiff, Robert Ashby and William and Carroll Morrison. Miss Audrey received many pretty souvenirs of the occasion.

Mrs. Deline Mearns has gone to St. Paul, Minn., for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Meigs.

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Victor, 10205... \$100	Laffargue, 42431... \$250	Clarendon, Fumed Oak, New, a Beauty... \$285
Richardson, 24288... \$110	Laffargue, 45324... \$250	
Bradbury, 19147... \$110	Laffargue, 51609... \$250	
New England, 72708... \$115		
Lawrie, 12134... \$115		
Berkeley, 12781... \$120		
Vose & Son, 37281... \$120		
Krakauer, 8495... \$125		
Jewett, 15790... \$125		
Biddle, 58433... \$125		
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Personals.

Mrs. Carl Auerbach of Chicago is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Sol Minister of Ontario place.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Weyl have been spending the week at the Hotel Strand.

The Friday Afternoon Bridge Club met at the Washington Suburban Club this week. After the game, tea was served.

Miss Rosa Kaufman of Toledo, Ohio, is the guest of Mrs. Clara Stiefel of Mount Pleasant street.

Mrs. Benjamin Heid and daughter Frances are guests at the Hotel Rudolph, Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Blout of New York were guests of relatives in town during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac W. Nordlinger and son Alan, who are traveling abroad, are now in Switzerland.

Mr. A. Cohen of Columbus, Ohio, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. M. D. Rosenberg, during the week.

Mrs. Abe King is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Katz, in Paterson, N. J.

Mrs. M. Hano of Columbia road has as her guests her sisters, the Misses Pauline and Blanche Oppenheimer of Baltimore.

Miss Gladys Mayer returned to town Thursday from Baltimore, where she was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, for ten days.

Dr. Lester Neuman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Neuman, was given a farewell dinner at the Washington Suburban Club Sunday night last, prior to his departure abroad. Mr. Neuman left town Friday and will spend some time studying in Vienna and Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Loeb, the latter formerly Miss Belle Schiffman, are now residing at Carvel Hall, Annapolis, Md.

Miss Katharine Heller has returned from a visit in Baltimore to her home on 13th street.

Miss Hannah May, who was the guest of Miss Helen Fischer of Lanier place, has returned to her home in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Lewis Newmyer and Mrs. Samuel Gassenheimer have returned to town from a two-week stay in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Rudolph B. Lyon and Mrs. Stephen Spitz returned to town Thursday from Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Steerman and daughter, Mrs. Cohen of Detroit, who have been south for the winter, are now spending several weeks at Asbury Park.

Mrs. Isadore Grosser is the guest of friends at their cottage in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Cohen and daughter, Miss Florence Cohen, are spending some time at the Hotel Rudolph, Atlantic City.

Mrs. John Bassett Moore and the

Misses Moore will not receive again on Wednesday this spring.

Miss Sue Egan has gone to Fort Baker, Cal., to visit her mother, Mrs. Egan; also her brother-in-law and sister, Maj. and Mrs. Robert B. Grubbs. Miss Egan will spend the summer between Fort Baker and Los Angeles.

Baroness Moncheur has come to Washington for her annual visit to her parents, Gen. and Mrs. Powell Clayton. Her husband, Baron Moncheur, who was the former minister to this country from Belgium, is now minister to Turkey.

Miss Agnes Hart Wilson will return today from Williamsport, Pa., where she has been visiting for a fortnight.

Mrs. Frederick M. Thompson of New York will arrive tomorrow, to be the guest of Mrs. Dimock for a week or ten days.

Miss Hortense Dreyfus of Waynesboro, Pa., will spend a month with Miss C. Stiebel of 2123 18th street northwest.

Mrs. Gordon Lee, wife of Representative Lee of Georgia, after a three-week visit to different points in Georgia, has returned to Washington. Representative and Mrs. Lee are stopping at the Cochran.

The Ladies' Auxiliary Association of Adas Israel Congregation has arranged a very interesting program for the regular monthly meeting, to be held this afternoon, May 3, in the vestry rooms of the synagogue, 9th and I streets northwest.

Mrs. Alfred H. Thomas left Thursday for Charleston, S. C., for a stay of several weeks.

Miss Mary Jinking of Boston, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Kimball of Lamont street.

Mrs. William Horton Garlock is spending the day in Alexandria with Mrs. Frank Harper of Prince street.

Miss Angela Chappelear of 1312 Q street has gone for a short visit to Philadelphia, New York and Atlantic City.

Not Receiving Today.

Mrs. Devereux will not receive today, but will be at home the following Sunday.

Gildea-Hammond.

Cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hammond of Elgin, Ill., announcing the marriage of their daughter Bertha and Mr. Loran Slater Gildea of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gildea will be at home, 1522 K street, after June 1.

Association Outing.

If weather permits, the members of the Young Women's Hebrew Association will have an outing today at Great Falls, Va. The members will meet at 26th and M streets at 11 o'clock, where a special car will await them. Basket lunch will be served in the grounds.

At the Playhouse.

The Countess Gyzicka gave a dance last night at the Playhouse, entertaining about sixty guests. The parlors and ballroom were decorated with spring flowers, and a buffet supper was served.

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\$24.75